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No. 11 Cedar Terrace,
Box 574, Astoria, Ore., April 28, 1903.
When I was first married I found that my strength and health were gradually diminishing. I became nervous and irritable, and was in bed a week and sometimes ten days of every month, and had intense bearing down pains. My husband had the best physician for me and I used his medicine for nearly four months, but I gradually grew worse, had less strength, and finally, I was unable to leave my bed at all.
A friend who was calling on me brought me a bottle of Wine of Cardui and was so loud in its praise that I told her that I would take it to please her.
I was surprised and pleased that before I had used the bottle I really felt better, so I kept on using it. Eight bottles brought back my lost health and strength, and I have not had a sick day in six months.



Mrs. Etta Finnegan

Etta Finnegan
TREASURER, ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

WINE OF CARDUI

Mrs. Finnegan had little hope of relief because she knew that every time she had those spells of menstrual suffering with attendant bearing down pains she was weaker. And every month the pain was growing more severe.

But Mrs. Finnegan was cured by Wine of Cardui. She is now so well that there are few women who would not be glad to have the health she has. And any woman who has those dreaded bearing down pains can have the same relief.

You can be free from menstrual irregularities if you take this pure vegetable wine. Why don't you take it when you see what it has done for others? Secure a bottle of Wine of Cardui today.

Your druggist has \$1.00 bottles.

Weinhard's Lager Beer.

SHOWS WHAT SHE CAN DO

Fine Performance of Chinook Gratifying to Those Interested in Astoria Harbor.

NO REFLECTION ON JETTY

Necessity for Extension of Breakwater is Appreciated Fully—Steamers Fined for Hauling Al-Ki Off Rocks.

The record made by the dredge Chinook on Friday was news of a pleasing nature to those interested in harbor improvement. The showing made by the dredge is regarded as ample evidence of her ability to provide sufficient depth at the entrance of the Columbia, and her stock has risen among those doubting Thomases who have all along pinned their faith to the jetty.

Collector of Customs Robb, who was aboard the Chinook when she made her record, speaks enthusiastically of the work done. Mr. Robb says he is convinced the dredge will deepen the bar to an extent that will permit of the arrival and departure at will of the largest vessels afloat, and that the present summer will see Astoria's hopes realized. This opinion is shared on all sides, and there is more confidence in the dredge now than at any previous time.

The fine work of the dredge, it should be understood, is not in any way taken as a reflection upon the efficacy of the jetty improvement, quite to the contrary, it is felt the jetty is absolutely essential to the permanency of the harbor improvement and that to insure the necessary depth it will be expedient to extend the breakwater to the outer edge of the bar. The dredge should, in the opinion of those who study the matter, net quick returns, while the jetty should make permanent the results thus attained. It is a joint improvement, and that some little feeling should have arisen between jetty and dredge enthusiasts is generally deplored.

There is a feeling, also, that this contention is calculated to "knock" the improvement. Outside sources make it a point to take advantage of local differences of opinion regarding such matters, and elaborate upon situations such as have recently arisen. If the knockers do not interfere, the bar will be deepened this summer to 40 feet, making the Columbia river the finest harbor in the world, and insuring the future maritime supremacy of Astoria.

FINED BY COLLECTOR.

Steamers Taxed for Hauling Sister Ships Into Deep Water.

Victoria, May 14.—Because the steamers Cottage City and Humboldt attempted to save the steamer Al-Ki, stranded at Menzies bay, Seymour narrows, after the offer of the Canadian steamer Princess May had been declined, Acting Collector of Customs Newbury today fined the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, which owns the three first named vessels, \$400. The case will be appealed to Ottawa.

It is stated that, had there been no offer from the Princess May to assist, the matter would not have been noticed. The Humboldt pulled the Al-Ki off on a rising tide and she proceeded to Alaska with a general cargo from the sound.

CANAL BUSINESS PARALYZED.

Great Lakes Results in Thousands Losing Positions.

New York, May 14.—In consequence of the tie-up in traffic on the great lakes, through business on the New York canal system is in a state of paralysis. Since the opening of state waterways only one boatload of grain and three cargoes of iron ore have come through from Buffalo. Piers here devoted to loading and unloading canal boats, usually the busiest spots on the waterfront, are deserted except for watchmen. Many owners have

turned their truck horses out to pasture and discharged thousands of men whom they employed when the season opened.

While the strike has precipitated matters, the boatmen assert that the same conditions would likely have prevailed eventually owing to the rate situation, which was cutting into their business rapidly.

MARINE NOTES.

The bark Hesper departed yesterday for California with lumber.

The tug Vosburg, which arrived Friday night from Nehalem bay, brought 99 logs, containing 150,000 feet.

The steamship Elder arrived yesterday from San Francisco. Among the freight for local houses she brought 140 boxes of fish for S. Schmidt & Co.

The four-masted schooner Samar, which is to race across the ocean with the five-masted schooner H. K. Hall, is still in the harbor. She cleared yesterday for Manila with 907,857 feet of lumber, valued at \$9750.05. It is expected she will get to sea tomorrow.

Deputy Collector McCue yesterday announced the measurements of the gasoline launch Albina, belonging to John Nassa of Cathlamet, as follows: Length, 33.9 feet; width, 9.9 feet; depth of hold, 3.25 feet. The launch registers nine gross and six net tons.

The steamship Nome City departed yesterday for San Francisco. She took away a cargo made up of flour, of which she had more than 6000 sacks; bran, potatoes and miscellaneous merchandise. From Astoria she took a large quantity of stocks and 300 sacks of oysters.

BY CANOE TO WORLD'S FAIR.

People Paddling Their Way Along Picturesque Routes.

St. Louis, May 14.—People are headed for St. Louis from every section of the country, and in every imaginable way. Some are coming in canoes, paddling their way for many miles.

Glenn Tracey, an art student at Ohio Northern university, and a companion are paddling their way to St. Louis in a 10-foot rowboat. They started on the Sciota river near Ada, O., and will row down the Ohio river, which they will follow to its mouth, and then row up the Mississippi to St. Louis, a voyage of about 1200 miles from the starting point. It is expected that the trip can be made in from four to five weeks.

George Kane, the head of the order of Red Men in Wisconsin, is coming to St. Louis in an Indian birch bark canoe, accompanied by a friend. Their voyage takes them down the St. Croix river to its mouth and thence down the Mississippi to the world's fair city. They carry supplies for only a day or two at a time, the smallness of the boat making it necessary to replenish their supplies quite often. They stop at the towns along the route and make the trip leisurely.

Two Honesdale, Pa., young men are making a trip to St. Louis in an 18-foot boat which they built for the purpose. Their route takes them up the Hudson to Albany and from there to the Erie canal to Buffalo; from Buffalo to Cleveland on Lake Erie and from Cleveland to the Ohio river by canal, thence down the Ohio to the Mississippi and up the Mississippi to St. Louis.

Two Chautauqua young men will travel by canoe from a point near the head of Cassadaga creek, their 2500-mile trip taking them down the Allegheny and the Ohio and up the Mississippi to St. Louis. These are only a few of many proposed trips in tiny crafts to the world's fair.

A Chicago man has invented an auto boat in which he intends traveling to St. Louis. The craft is 20 feet long, with a five-foot beam, and has a capacity of 20 passengers.

THE FAIR ROUTE.

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There is a rare collection of Chinese stuff at the customs house waiting appraisal. The truck consists of many envelopes full of medicine. The medicine is made from the horns of mountain oxen and is pronounced by Chinese to

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Mrs. Schwarz, Practical Midwife, 287 Bond St. Reasonable charges; satisfaction guaranteed.

First-class meal for 15c: nice cake, coffee, pie, or doughnuts, 5c. U. S. restaurant, 434 Bond street.

Wanted—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at Astorian office.

Lump Coal—Large Lumps—Ring up S. Elmore & Co., Main 1961, and order a ton of Ladysmith coal. They deliver it. Select lump coal.

Lost—Plain gold ring, between Eleventh and Thirtieth streets. Has small diamond setting. Return to this office and receive reward.

For Sale—One team, harness and wagon. Price of outfit, \$400.00. For particulars inquire of W. Knapp, Knappa, Ore.

JAPANESE GOODS.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

PIANO TUNER.

For good, reliable piano work see your local tuner, Th. Fredrickson. 2071 Bond street. Phone Red 2074.

Union made heating stoves, home manufactured and very stove perfect, at Montgomery's tin and plumbing store, 425 Bond street. Phone 1031.

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You can always find the best 15-cent meal in the city at the Rising Sun restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

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Cord wood, mill wood, box wood, any kind of wood at lowest prices. Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2211 Black. Barn on Twelfth, opposite opera house.

For Sale—At Gaston's feed stable, one Colfax roller feed mill; one 20 horse power motor and starter box; belt, ing, shafting and pulleys, and one Fairbanks floor scales; also one butcher's wall scales.

SAMPSON'S LONG HAIR WAS THE cause of his death. You should get your hair cut at least once a month at the Occident Barber Shop, where there are first-class artists.

For Sale—High-bred English pups. G. M. Eberle, Warrenton, Ore.

Alderbrook Transfer Company—Baggage transferred and wood furnished. Orders received at Gaston's stable. Phone Main 1671. E. L. Geddes, Mgr.

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Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital for a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Office of C. Q. M. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., April 27, 1904. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock, a. m., May 26, 1904, for furnishing fuel at military posts in this department for fiscal year commencing July 1, 1904.

Information furnished here or by quartermasters at posts. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for Fuel at—" addressed F. G. Hodgson, C. Q. M.

be a panacea for all ills, making the poor fat and the fat poor; the sick well and the well sick. It is abominable smelling stuff, and reached the customs house through the mails. A pair of costly onyx bracelets has also been received through the mails, and until the authorities are able to determine the value of the bracelets the stuff will be held. The bracelets are very pretty and intended to adorn the dainty wrists of some almond-eyed damsel.

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